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THE ROSWELL ROUTE TO BE RAILROAD'S NAME

Two hundred citizens went out to the lane at the old Dr. Finley place, at the Southeast edge of town this morning to see the first shovelful of dirt thrown for the Altus, Roswell & El Paso railroad. Mayor G. A. Richardson, with a brand new shovel, turned over the dirt as if he was used to it, and made an address, congratulating the town and the entire community

upon the start of so great an enterprise for the entire Pecos Valley. In his speech Mayor Richardson christened the new railroad, "The Roswell Route," and has obtained from its president, Edward Kennedy, a promise that this will be the familiar name that will be painted on the new road's cars and other rolling stock.

When Mayor Richardson had finished his speech, President Kennedy and Chief Engineer Stimson each made

short talks, giving every assurance that the road will proceed and encouraging the citizens along the line of civic improvement. R. Kellahin, as president of the Roswell Commercial Club, made a few congratulatory remarks.

Two teams were at work today doing preliminary grading, but the work will commence in earnest Monday morning.

Mayor Richardson is keeping the shovel that threw the first dirt for "The Roswell Route," and will place it among the sacred relics of the city.

Choice Cut Flowers for Xmas. Carnations, paper white Narcissus, Violets, and pot plants, also holly and roping and fancy ferns.—Alameda Greenhouse. 5113*

Court Adjourns Until Jan. 2. District court adjourned this afternoon until January 2. However, court will meet in chamber during the rest of the month. Before adjournment Judge Pope passed sentence upon W. W. Gatewood for assaulting R. E. Lund, giving him a fine of fifty dollars and costs. Judge Pope will remain here until after supreme court meets in January and then take a trip to Georgia. Court Reporter Hull leaves tomorrow morning for Georgia, and it is possible that he will go into business there and return only to complete unfinished business.

WHITE WINTER PEARMAINS from the mountains, extra fine. At the Roswell Seed Co. 5113

REMEMBER OUR SPECIAL WIND-UP.

SALE WILL TAKE PLACE EVERY MORNING AT 9 O'CLOCK UNTIL XMAS. IF YOU WANT TO SAVE MONEY BE THERE.

PECOS VALLEY DRUG COMPANY

ONE HOPE OF STATEHOOD

ONLY CHANCE IS THAT TERRITORIES WILL BE ADMITTED TO GET RID OF THEM

OPINION OF AUTHORITY

Eminent Correspondent Writes His Opinion on the Statehood Question to the Louisville, Kentucky, Post-New Mexico Greater Vote Than Eight of the States, But Other Qualifications Not Considered Good.

Louis Ludlow, the Correspondent at Washington of the Louisville, Ky. Post sent his paper the following article on statehood for New Mexico and Arizona:

Washington, Dec. 14.—One of the most important questions before Congress at this session is whether or not two more States shall be created. The movement for single statehood for Arizona and New Mexico is looming up in larger proportions than any one had anticipated. The President has given it additional impetus by his message to Congress in which he advocated the immediate admission of Arizona and New Mexico as separate States, his reason being that the people of the two territories have made it evident they will not come in as one state and the only alternative is to admit them as two.

better qualified for admission to the sisterhood than several other territories that have been taken in, Nevada for instance. Of the two New Mexico presents much the better qualifications. She cast 57,000 votes at the recent election, while Arizona cast only about 22,000. The total number of votes polled in New Mexico was larger than the votes cast in eight states of the Union.

It is quite possible there may be no statehood legislation at this session but, from indications, the time is not far distant when two new stars will be added to the flag. President-elect Taft is as strongly in favor of the admission of New Mexico and Arizona as is President Roosevelt. At least that is the report circulated by the statehood boomers and Mr. Taft has not entered a denial. Therefore, it seems that statehood within the next four years is a probability.

Nordica Concert Subscriptions. After Monday evening, Dec. 21st., any unsold subscriptions, will be offered outside the city. Parties wanting tickets will please call on J. C. Hamilton, Chas. de Bremond, or J. W. Thomas. 4913.

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INCREASE IN CASH

RESERVES OF BANKS
New York, Dec. 19.—The statement of the clearing house for the week shows that the banks hold \$1,900,000 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent cash reserve as compared with last week.

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HAVE TAFT AND THE PRES-

IDENT DISAGREED
Cincinnati, Dec. 19.—In what is declared to be an authorized statement, the Washington Star quotes President Roosevelt as denying the published report that he had had a disagreement with Taft and that he was opposed to Charles P. Taft's candidacy for the United States Senate and favored that of Congressman Theodore E. Burton.

Foraker Is Still in the Fight.
Columbus, Ohio, Dec. 19.—Senator J. B. Foraker arrived here today and opened his campaign to succeed himself. Foraker declined to give any estimate as to his strength, but declared he was in the fight to win.

WOMAN GOES TO THE

PENITENTIARY FOR LIFE
Oakland, Calif., Dec. 19.—Mrs. Isabella J. Martin, convicted of conspiracy in dynamiting the home of Judge Oden, of this city, was today sentenced to imprisonment for life.

Quaker Quartet Tonight.
Do not miss the Quaker Quartet at the M. E. church, South this evening.

Notice to Realty Dealers.
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DRIVERS AND TEAMSTERS TO STRIKE IN NEW YORK CITY

New York, Dec. 19.—Members of the Liberty Dawn Coach Drivers' Association and the United Teamsters of America, representing 3,000 drivers and chauffeurs of this city, voted today to strike unless certain demands which they have made upon their employers be granted forthwith. According to the secretary of the Liberty Dawn Association, a hundred men who were employed by two large dry goods companies, struck this morning. The outcome of this move, he said, depends upon the action of the employers.

FOR SALE:—

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NEW YORK BROKER SHOT

IN HIS OFFICE TODAY
New York, Dec. 19.—Henry B. Suydam, a mining stock broker, club member and alderman of Plainfield, N. J., was shot and dangerously wounded in his office on Broad street today by John C. Lumsden, an inventor, who claimed Suydam had refused to pay him money for his invention.

Lumsden was arrested after a desperate struggle with George A. Downs, a young clerk employed by Suydam, upon whom the broker called for aid when he saw Lumsden reaching for his revolver. Lumsden asserted he shot in self defense. Suydam was removed to a hospital, where it was found he was in a critical condition. Lumsden was taken to jail, where he would only say he shot in self defense, and would not discuss his invention or tell what claim he had against Suydam.

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U. S. WEATHER BUREAU. (Local Report. Observation Taken at 6:00 a. m.)

Roswell, N. M., Dec. 19.—Temperature, Max. 40; Min. 16; Mean 28. Precipitation 0. Wind 2 miles N. Weather Clear.

Forecast for Roswell and Vicinity. Fair and continued cold tonight and Sunday.

Comparative Temperature Data. Extremes this date last year:—Max. 44; Min. 17.

Extremes this date 14 years' record:—Max. 65, 1903; Min. 17, 1907.

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GLOVES, 50c to \$1.50.
LONG GLOVES, \$2.50 to \$3.50.
FANCY STOCK COLLARS, 50c to \$1.50.
TAILOR STOCK COLLARS, 25c to 75c.
MANICURE SETS, \$3.50 to \$15.
EBONY HAIR BRUSHES, \$1.50 to \$5.00.
SOLE LEATHER DRESS SUIT CASES, \$5.00 to \$15.
BLANKETS, 75c a pair to \$15.
COMFORTABLES, \$1.00 to \$5.00
BACK COMBS, 25c to \$5.00.
HAND BAGS, \$1.00 to \$10.00.
UMBRELLAS, \$1.50 to \$7.50.
SILK SHAWLS, \$2.00 to \$15.00.
LACE WAISTS, \$5.00 to \$15.00.
LINGERIE WAISTS, \$1.00 to \$5.00.
SILK PETTICOATS, \$5.00 to \$12.50.
JAPANESE KIMONOS, \$5 to \$16.50.
SILK DRESSING SACQUES, \$3.00 to \$7.50.

For Men

OFFICE COATS, \$2.00 to \$3.50.
HOUSE COATS, \$5.00 to \$10.00.
GLOVES, 50c to \$2.50.
PLUSH AND CLOTH CAPS, 25c to \$1.50.
OPERA HATS, \$6.00 to \$8.00.
PLAIN LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, 25c to 50c.
SILK INITIAL HANDKERCHIEFS, 50c to \$1.00.
MUFFLERS, \$1.00 to \$2.00.
LISLE AND SILK HOSE, 50c. to \$1.50.
UMBRELLAS, \$1.00 to \$5.00.
FANCY VESTS, \$1.50 to \$5.00.
FANCY SUSPENDERS, 50c. to \$1.50
WHITE AND COLORED SHIRTS, \$1.00 to \$3.50.

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We'll pack any size box or pretty basket you might want.

KIPLING

There is undoubtedly a strong feeling in Congress that it might be just as well to have the statehood fight over. The only way to permanently get rid of the agitation is to admit Arizona and New Mexico as separate states, just as the President suggests. As long as there are any territories left on the American mainland or, to speak more accurately, within the confines of the United States proper, there will be a perennial and feverish agitation for an extension of the statehood sovereignty that will take them in.

"Why not get rid of this agitation and complete the union of States, as nearly as it can be completed?" is a question which some Congressmen are propounding. "Why not have it over?" the statehood lobbies are asking. This is an argument that appeals to a good many members of both law-making branches, who are heartily tired of the everlasting row over statehood.

There is one feature of the statehood campaign which is not helping the cause very much. That is the character of the lobbies that are here at work for statehood. Some of the well-known congressional lobbyists of shady and slippery renown are pushing the cause most vigorously. They are men who are never known to promote legislation unless they can get something out of it. They are numerous and active and the energy they are displaying leads to a fair inference that they have certain promises, the fulfillment of which would not redound to the public good.

On the other hand some of the very best people in the two territories are here trying to interest Congress in carrying out the President's recommendations which, by the way, are practically the recommendations of the Republican national platform as to statehood. Joseph H. Kibbey, Governor of Arizona, and George Curry, Governor of New Mexico, are in command of the reputable lobbies of their respective territories. They will put in a good deal of the winter here.

Senator Arthur Hays New Mexico has an every alternative claim to statehood but, as that, both territories are